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June 12, 2005

Honorable James H. Welsh,
Commissioner of Conservation
Office of Conservation
P. O. Box 94275
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING

James Formation, Reservoir A
JAMES RA SUL
Spider Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **ST. MARY LAND AND EXPLORATION COMPANY**, (Applicant), to the Commissioner of Conservation for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the James Formation, Reservoir A, Spider Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana.

1. To permit Camterra Resources, Inc., to operate and separately report the production from the unit well for the JAMES RA SUL and to permit St. Mary Land & Exploration Company to operate and to separately report the production from the proposed alternate unit well in the JAMES RA SUL, Spider Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana, such unit and wells shown on the attached plat and made a part hereof.
2. To consider and cover such other matters, as the Commissioner of Conservation may deem pertinent and appropriate.

The James Formation, Reservoir A, in the Spider Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 92-M, effective March 11, 2003.

The pertinent data pertaining to this application is available for inspection at the Offices of Bob F. Anderson, PE, Inc., 400 Travis Street, Suite 209, Shreveport, Louisiana 71101. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call Bob Anderson 318/425-4230 during normal business hours in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent data that is otherwise not available from the Office of Conservation can be obtained **at the expense of the requesting party**.

Honorable James H. Welsh,
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The subject matter of this hearing does not require a pre-application notice.

Pursuant to the revised Rules of Procedure, Applicant has made a reasonable effort to obtain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties to whom this notice of this application is being sent. A copy of this letter and the attached plat is being sent to the District Manager of the Shreveport District Office of Conservation and a copy of the letter and plat is being sent to the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and the Interested Parties as shown on the attached list. Upon receipt of the legal notice, the notice will be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the area of the Driscoll Field and will be posted in a prominent place in the general area of the field.

Attached hereto is our check, made payable to the Office of Conservation, to cover the applicable hearing fee.

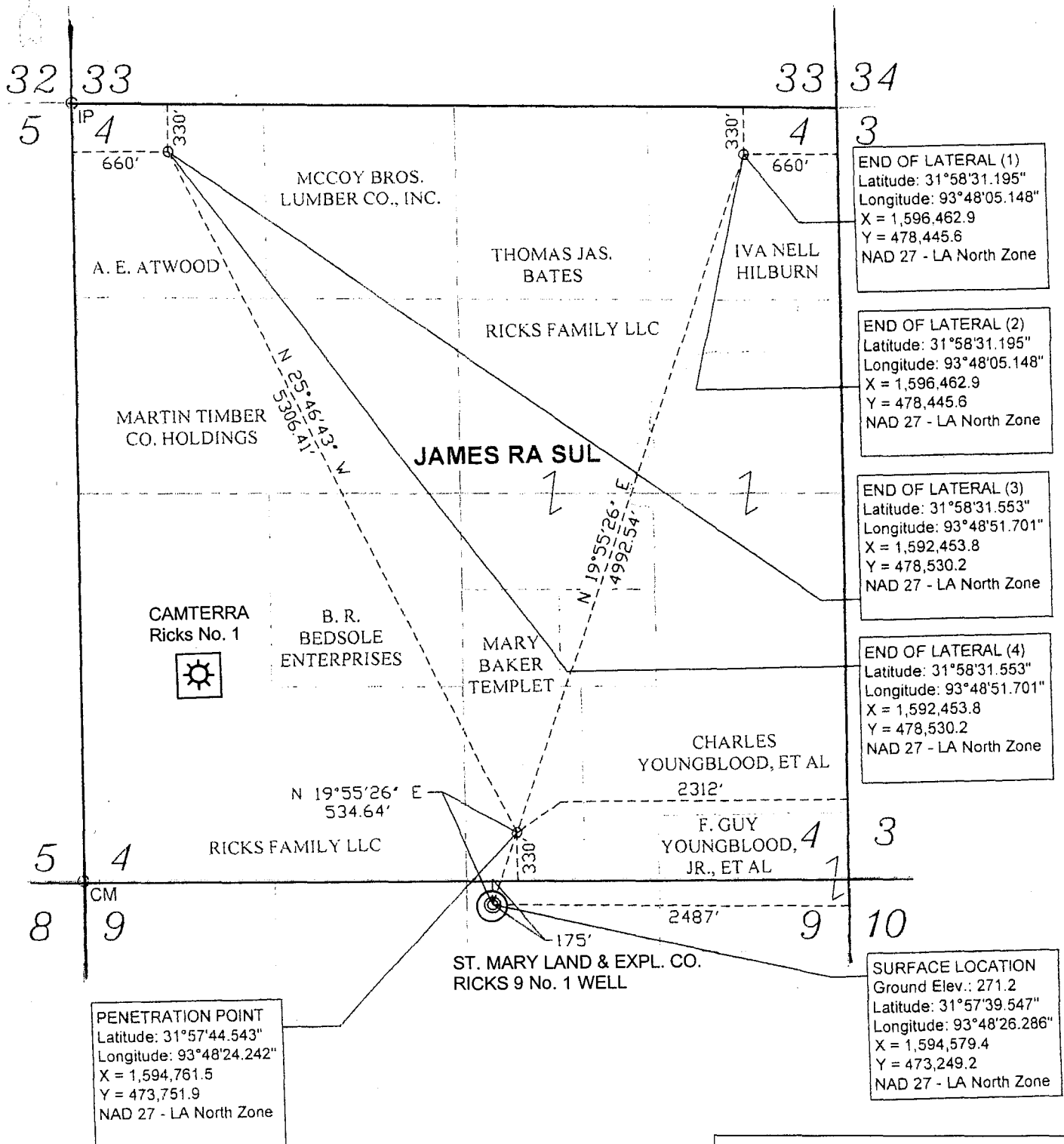
Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "B F Anderson", written in dark ink.

B. F. Anderson, PE for
ST. MARY LAND & EXPLORATION COMPANY

cc: Mr. James Broussard, District Manager Shreveport District Office of Conservation
Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties
Mr. Steve Causey, CPL, St. Mary

TOWNSHIP 11 NORTH, RANGE 14 WEST,
DESOTO PARISH, LOUISIANA



Existing James RA Unit Well



Proposed James RA Alt. Unit Well

0' 500' 1000' 2000'

DOCKET No.

DATE:

EXHIBIT No. 1

ST. MARY LAND & EXPLORATION CO.

SPIDER FIELD

DeSoto Parish, Louisiana

Plat Showing:

PROPOSED HORIZONTAL LATERALS

ALTERNATE UNIT WELL

&

UNIT WELL

JAMES RA SUL